

NOTE:  
FOR DETAILS NOT SHOWN SEE STANDARD PLAN A88A

CALTRANS  
CONSERVATIVE  
DESIGN  
STANDARDS

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STANDARDS

(A) Length of Ramp	(1)	Not required to exceed 15 feet, DIB 82 4.3.8 #1	
(B) Width of Ramp		50" min	48" min
(C) Slope of Ramp		7.5% max	8.3% max (1)
(D) X Slope of the Ramp	(2)	1.5% max	2.0% max
(E) Top Landing Length		50" min	48" min
(F) Top Landing Width		50" min	48" min
(G) Top Landing Slope		1.5% max	2.0% max
(H) Top Landing X Slope	(2)	1.5% max	2.0% max
(I) Counter Slope	(3)	1"(V):24"(H) max	5.0% max
(J) Flow Line Slope	(2)	1.5% max	2.0% max
(K) Detectable Warning Surface		See Standard Plan A88A and DIB 82	
(L) Flare (Right/Left)		9.0% max at curb	10.0% max at curb

- (1) Curb ramps shall have a running slope not steeper than 8.3% maximum but shall not require the ramp length to exceed 15 feet.
- (2) At pedestrian crossings without yield or stop control and at midblock pedestrian street crossings, the cross slope of curb ramps and landings shall be permitted to equal the street or highway grade. See DIB 82 4.3.8 item No. 8.
- (3) Counter slope shall not exceed 1"(V):24"(H) or 4.2% where a gutter pan is present. If no gutter pan is present counter slope shall not exceed 5.0% max.

ABBREVIATIONS:  
DWS DETECTABLE WARNING SURFACE  
TC TOP OF CURB  
TR TOP OF RAMP  
TRC TOP OF RETAINING CURB

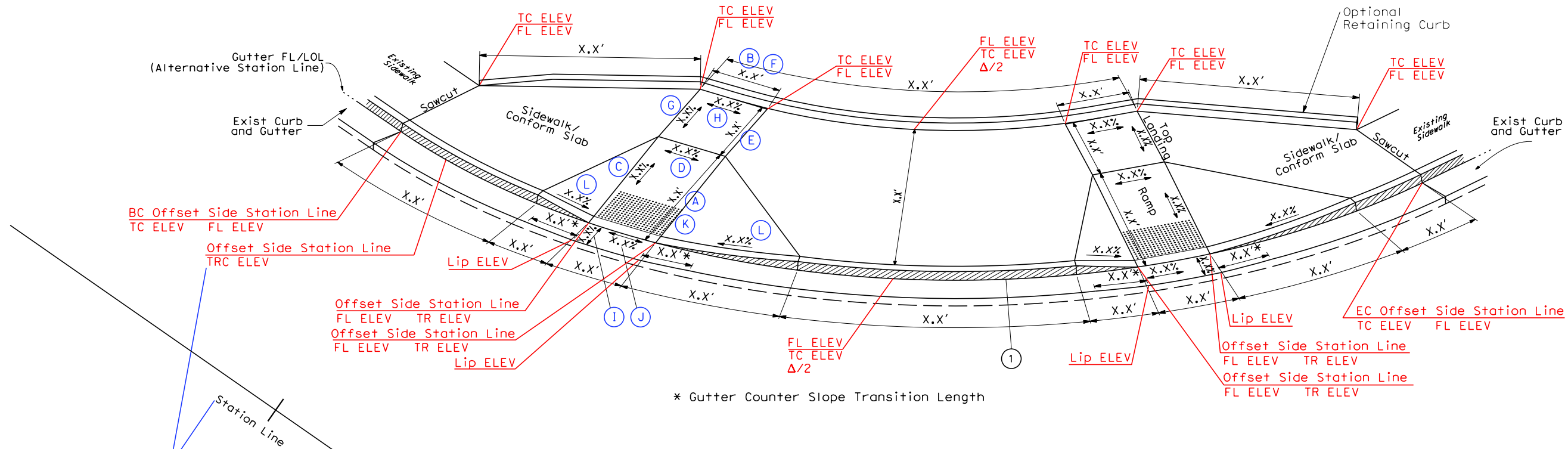
Items A through L graphically depict standards that are all required for compliance with the 2010 Americans with Disabilities Act or draft Public Rights of Way Accessibility Guidelines.

For each curb ramp location that is not designed to meet the conservative design standards include one (EA) quantity of bid item Pre/Post Construction Surveys in the bid item list. The intent of this bid item is to verify that construction complies with allowable variations from the dimensions and slopes shown on the contract plans required by CPB 14-1.

Location call outs and elevations direct the tie-in of the curb ramp to adjacent roadway, sidewalk, and grade at a project specific location with the specific compliant slopes and dimensions shown. Removal and replacement of any existing pavement or other surfacing necessary to tie-in to the proposed curb ramp is not shown in this example.

CURVE DATA

No. Ⓢ	R	Δ	T	L
1	XX'	00°00'00"	XX'	XX'



In this example the curb is located relative to the roadway alignment. The dimensions shown here are needed by the contractor to confirm the field fit of slopes and widths and the perimeter tie-in, as the lengths between the callout points along the curb are different than the length along the roadway alignment due to varying offsets and curvature.

CURB RAMP DESIGN STANDARDS, TWO CASE A RAMPS  
MAIN ALIGNMENT CALLOUTS WITH DIMENSIONS

1 of 2

This is one of two examples that depict the same curb ramp configuration with alternative ways to present location callouts, dimensions and elevations. No. 1 of 2 is relative to the roadway alignment and No. 2 of 2 is relative to a local alignment on the gutter flow line. Another way to present the callouts, dimensions and elevations is in tabular format.

Dist	COUNTY	ROUTE	POST MILES TOTAL PROJECT	SHEET No.	TOTAL SHEETS
REGISTERED CIVIL ENGINEER			DATE		
PLANS APPROVAL DATE					
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